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## ALLEGED BIGAMIST AND ARMY DESERTER IS STILL MISSING

Sergeant George Myers, erstwhile non commissioned officer in the U. S. medical corps, and a man with an alleged notorious past before he married a handsome and accomplished Cedarville girl last September, is still among the missing so far as the authorities who are searching for him, and his young wife, are concerned.

Mrs. Myers, who was before marriage Miss Blanche Turnbull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Turnbull, said Saturday, that she knows nothing of the whereabouts of her husband since he left her at the station in her home town ten days ago, for a trip to the west.

Offering no excuse for him, Mrs. Myers said, however, that many of the numerous stories that have been given wide circulation concerning him since his alleged wrongdoing was disclosed a week ago, are untrue. Mrs. Myers, who, accompanied by a friend, Miss Anna Collins, went to Evansville, Ind., Sergeant Myers' old home, last Saturday night to learn the truth regarding her husband, whom she married after a courtship of less than two weeks' duration, learned that Sergeant Myers had been married only once previous to his marriage to her, and that he was divorced from that woman. She denied the story that his family lives in the lower district in Evansville, and that his brother is a saloon keeper. She learned that his only brother is in the army, and that his mother, now dead, was a respectable Christian woman.

Mrs. Myers also declared that Sergeant Myers had never secured any money from herself or her family. It is not denied however, that he is an ex-convict.

## GERMAN TROOPS DISARM SPARTACANS

Copenhagen, Feb. 15.—German government troops have reoccupied Erfurt and disarmed the Spartacans there according to advices received here today.

Spartacans are reported to have captured the prison in Wesel and to have liberated all the inmates.

Erfurt, situated west of Weimar, was recently seized by the soldiers council, co-operating with the Spartacans, as one of the first steps in an attempt to overthrow the national assembly and government at Weimar.

## CHILDREN OPEN SERVICES AT THE 1ST U. P. CHURCH

Thirty one children of the First U. P. church opened the service on Friday evening with a short program of scripture reading and song closing with a pantomime by four girls while Edith Davidson sang the first Psalm.

Margaret Galloway and Margaret Goodman sang "Waiting Like Watchers at Night."

Taking for his theme "This is My Friend" Rev. Dodds said in part: "This is a common message of used by all concerning others. At the same time it is a picture of Christ. He is my friend."

1. He is my friend in need. The only remedy for sin is this friend. Salvation can only be had by appreciation of his friendship.

2. He is a Manly, mighty friend. He is a friend that sticks closer than a brother. He will hold thy hand and keep thee.

## PRESIDENT NOW ON THE HIGH SEAS

Brest, Feb. 15.—President Wilson sailed for the United States aboard the liner George Washington at 11:15 a. m. today.

- SALE DATES RESERVED**
- Feb. 17—D. L. Fields
  - Feb. 17—C. E. Laybourne.
  - Feb. 18—Turner & Son.
  - Feb. 18—H. E. Birch.
  - Feb. 18—C. E. Bradstreet.
  - Feb. 18—Mrs. Elmer Harness.
  - Feb. 19—Harriet E. St. John.
  - Feb. 19—O. T. Coblenz.
  - Feb. 19—Lewis H. Smith.
  - Feb. 20—H. E. Powers.
  - Feb. 20—J. W. Stevenson.
  - Feb. 20—L. B. Stingley.
  - Feb. 20—Lafe Caraway.
  - Feb. 21—Mrs. Laura Steble.
  - Feb. 21—V. E. Neal.
  - Feb. 25—Watkins Brothers.
  - Feb. 25—J. W. Smith.
  - Feb. 25—Frank Turnbull.
  - Feb. 26—Dean and Spencer.
  - Feb. 27—J. M. Hollingsworth.
  - Feb. 28—Walker Williamson.
  - March 1—Fennon & Watt
  - March 4—W. V. Lackey.
  - March 5—Driskel Bros.
  - March 5—B. M. Leach.
  - March 5—Russell Hoagland.
  - March 6—J. Clarence Anderson and Fred Van Skiver.
  - March 8th—Funderburg and Oglesbee.
  - March 11—E. R. & W. B. Corry.

## TWO MILLION DOLLAR FIRE IN SAVANNAH

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 15.—Approximately \$2,000,000 damage was done by fire which swept the Hutchinson Island, opposite Savannah late yesterday and last night, according to unofficial estimates early today.

The Southern Fertilizer works, in which the blaze is believed to have started, is in ruins. A large quantity of cotton stored in warehouses and on wharves was destroyed, some placing the amount as high as 5,000 bales.

## RESIGNATION OF SHARP ACCEPTED AS AMBASSADOR

Washington, Feb. 15.—President Wilson has accepted the resignation of William Graves Sharp as ambassador to France, to take effect when a successor qualifies.

This was revealed by correspondence between the president and the ambassador, made public tonight at the White House without comment.

There is no information in official circles as to whom the president has in mind for the Paris post, but at the time the resignation of Vance McCormick, as chairman of the Democratic national committee, was made known last month, it was said that Mr. McCormick would become ambassador to France.

## HARVEY C. SMITH WINS IN HIS FIGHT FOR STATE OFFICE

Columbus, Feb. 15.—Judge Harvey C. Smith, of Zanesville, will assume the duties of secretary of state on Monday, Feb. 17.

The Ohio supreme court late yesterday by unanimous vote decided that Smith was entitled to the Secretary job and that W. D. Fulton, Newark, present incumbent must go.

"There'll be no pomp or ceremony when I take office Monday," said Judge Smith today. "I want to go to office quietly and then make good."

"When Judge Smith comes to take the office I'll meet him half way—I'm not a hard loser," Secretary Fulton said today. "It was a fair fight."

The supreme court's decision caused a flurry in the departments under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of State as to Smith's selection for department heads.

## BOTH XENIA TEAMS GET A CRACK AT WILMINGTON BOYS

Both Xenia High School first and second teams played Wilmington High at the rink Friday night, and neither of them had to tax their ability to beat the Quakers, who were squeaked to the tune of 51-18.

With the game sewed up along in the second half, Coach Fairies gave his second string lads a chance to compete, and they tore into the Clinton County crowd for the final few minutes of play and gave them a battle royal. The score was 51-13 when the shift in the lineup was made and while the second team was holding the fort they scored six points to the visitor's seven.

Score and lineup:  
Xenia (57) Wilmington (18)  
Stephens (c) ..... Glenn Hartsock (c) .....  
Bryan Satterfield (c) .....  
Vannorsdall (c) .....  
Substitutions:—Bales for Hartsock, Wade for Stephens, Pillsbury for Bales, Finley for Satterfield, Taylor for Vannorsdall, Hyman for Taylor, Wilmington Holiday for Bryan, Field for Shepherd. Scoring, Xenia, Field goals: Stephens 11, Hartsock, Bales 7, Satterfield, Vannorsdall 2, Bales 4, Pillsbury, Wilmington—Glenn 2, Shepherd 3, Cantrill 2, Riggin; Foul goals—Hartsock, Vannorsdall 2, Shepherd, Hale, Referee, W. Vannorsdall. Umpire, McCullough.

## REPUBLIC RESTORED

Lisbon, Feb. 15.—The republic has been restored in Northern Portugal and Plava Conceiro leader of the monarchists has been arrested, it was officially announced today.

**COOTIES NOT CUTIES**  
Detroit, Feb. 15.—Peace reigns in the home of Private Joe Kageff. He convinced Mrs. Kageff that when he wrote her picked up several French cooties he did not mean "French Cuties," as she thought.

**PLOT TO WAKE COOK**  
Chicago, Feb. 15.—The bombs at Fort Sheridan didn't burst. The plot did. Intelligence department officers discovered two rigged up alarm clocks were contrivances to wake a carn cook.

**CELEBRATES 100TH BIRTHDAY**  
Bloomington, N. J., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Irene Abbott Cokerfair today celebrated the 100th anniversary of her birth.

**HE GUESSED WRONG**  
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 14.—Charles Smith glanced at the photograph of a police man showed him, decided that "jig was up" and confessed to forgery in several states. Then he glanced again. It wasn't his picture.

## WHAT AMERICAN BOYS IN NORTHERN RUSSIA ARE SEEING



Women sweeping streets in Archangel, Russia. The photo above shows a typical scene in Archangel and similar cities in northern Russia where American boys are quartered while fighting the Bolsheviks. The streets, rudely paved, are covered with mud and litter. Women, in place of men, attempt to clean the streets, rudely paved, are covered out of branches are used. Whether or not the round object in the center of the pavement is a "dead" bomb the photographer doesn't state.

## GIRLS' FRIENDLY VALENTINE PARTY CHARMING AFFAIR

One of the prettiest and most enjoyable affairs of the season was the Valentine Party given by the Girls' Friendly Society, at the Elk's hall Friday evening.

Hearts and the red colors suggestive of the valentine season, were used in the decorations. Each guest was given a heart as he entered, on which was written a fortune telling verse. Dancing was the feature of the evening although cards offered a diversion to many. The punch bowl and dainty Nabiscoes were popular during the evening. Music was furnished by the Swindler orchestra. An unusually large crowd attended the affair.

## FINAL TRIBUTE PAID CLEMENT REUTINGER

A large concourse of friends and relatives gathered to pay final tribute to Clement Reutinger at the funeral services which were held at the late home on West Market street Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Many beautiful pieces, the tribute of friends filled the room in which he lay.

The services were in charge of his pastor, Rev. H. J. Jewett, of Trinity M. E. Church, who opened the services by reading a hymn. Rev. John White led in prayer and Rev. A. J. Kestle spoke as a friend and neighbor, taking for his text St. Luke, 24th Chapter. Rev. Jewett also chose this as the basis of his remarks.

The body was laid to rest in a beautiful flower lined grave in Woodland, and Rev. Jewett and Rev. Kestle conducted a brief service at the grave. The pallbearers were, Carl Schwellbold, Raymond H. Stiles, James M. Clifford, Richard Bennington, Alfred Arnold and Raymond A. Higgins.

## DISCUSSES NEED OF SHIPS AND YARDS



Sidney Story. The use America can make of the shipyards and ships she has acquired as a result of the war is being pointed out in speeches throughout the country by Sidney Story. He is an expert on marine problems.

## FRIEDMAN TO OPEN AUTO ACCESSORY STORE IN XENIA

When extensive improvements now being made are completed, I. Friedman, East Main street merchant, will open a large automobile accessory, sporting goods and bicycle and vulcanizing business in the building on West Main street, which he bought a few weeks ago from E. H. Hunt.

Mr. Friedman will place in charge of the business his two nephews, Andrew and Waldorf Sachs, practical automobile and repair men, of Pittsburgh. He will go to New York about the 24th of the month to buy supplies for his new business.

Mr. Friedman says that he will probably carry also a line of electrical supplies, and later expects to open a repair shop in connection with the business, and the second story, which was previously used as living apartments, has been converted into one large room.

A handsome new entrance to the building is being built.

## TWO GERMAN PEACE DELEGATES NAMED

Budapest, Feb. 11.—President Ebert, in an interview with the Weimar correspondent of the Azeit, announced that the German peace delegates will include Count Brockhoff-Rantzau, foreign minister and Dr. Edward David, president of the national assembly and minister without portfolio.

## BREAKS ARM WHILE VISITING IN XENIA

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Burrell and son Robert, of Kalamazoo, Mich., who have been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Burrell, of Church street, will soon go to Columbus to reside. Mr. Burrell has accepted a position with the Beckwith Co., of Dowagiac, Mich., traveling through eastern and southern Ohio, selling the well known "Round Oak" furnace. Mrs. Burrell had the misfortune to break her arm within two hours after her arrival in Xenia.

## MISS FANNIE ALLISON IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Miss Fannie Allison, who for many years was connected with the Hutchinson and Gibney store, is seriously ill at her home in the Dadds Apartments. Owing to the condition of her health, Miss Allison has been unable to be at her work since last summer, and recently her condition became much more serious. Miss Allison is widely known over the county, and her illness has been a source of grief to many.

## RIOTING IN BERLIN

Copenhagen, Feb. 15.—Rioting has broken out in Berlin where more than 40,000 warehouse workers have gone on strike, it was reported in dispatches here today. Other workers have walked out in sympathy. Many business places have been forced to close.

## WIDOW OF AARON BEAL PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Ann Maria Beal, widow of Aaron Beal, died Friday night, of bronchial pneumonia, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Weiner, in Dayton. She was 86 years of age and had been ill for one week.

Mrs. Beal was a native of Virginia, but most of her life was passed in this county. She had been a widow for thirty years. Until fifteen years ago she made her home on her farm north of Goes Station.

Surviving her are the following children: Mrs. Florence Reinhard, Mrs. Mary Hopping and Mrs. Jesse Weiner, of Dayton; Thomas Beal, of Goes, and Marcellus Beal, of Osborn. Funeral services and burial will take place Monday at Osborn.

## VISITING MOTHER IN THIS CITY

Dr. and Mrs. Elder Hutchison are guests of Dr. Hutchison's mother, Mrs. J. A. Hutchison, of East Market street. Dr. Hutchison was recently discharged from the army at Camp Custer, after having served about a year as a medical officer, and with his young wife, whom he married at Camp Taylor after entering the service, he will return to Hartford, Conn., to resume his professional practice. Dr. and Mrs. Hutchison will be here throughout next week.

## ELMER O. SMELTZ RESIGNS POSITION

Elmer O. Smeltz, who for the last seven years has been connected with the Jobe store, as manager and buyer for the first floor departments, has resigned to take a position with The Wilson Dry Goods Company of Fostoria. He will be general manager and merchandise man for this firm. Mr. Smeltz' resignation takes effect next week, and he expects to take his new place in Fostoria soon after the first of March.

Mr. Smeltz is one of Xenia's most popular young business men. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Smeltz regret that they will soon remove from the city. They expect to dispose of part of their household goods at their home on Home avenue, before leaving the city.

## ARTHUR CRAMER IS GIVEN A SURPRISE

Arthur Cramer, of 34 Kenneyday street, was surprised at his home Thursday evening by about 25 friends and neighbors, of Orient Hill. He has just returned from France, receiving his honorable discharge from the Columbus Barracks last Saturday.

A very pleasant evening was spent and dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Home Osborn and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Oran, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cramer and son Homer, Misses Nola and Elsie Walker, Icy Thompson, Thelma and Jewell Osborn, Mary Dilahunt, Messrs. Perry Swindler, Harry Ralls, Wm. Jeffers and Carl Henly.

## PLAN CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE DRYS

New York, Feb. 15.—Plans for a campaign against prohibition were laid today by members of the Association Opposed to National Prohibition, after a meeting in which hotel and liquor men from all over the country joined in protesting the dry amendment. Thousands of dealers were pledged to carry on the campaign it was announced. It is planned to hold meetings in every large city of the country, in an attempt to avert what the "wets" term a catastrophe.

## ROYALIST LEADERS FLED FROM OPORTO

Vigo, Feb. 15.—Royalist leaders have fled from Oporto and are trying to cross into Spain, it was reported here today. The Portuguese republican flag has been raised again in Valencia.

Oporto and Valencia were centers of the Portuguese monarchist revolt.

## MAY DIVIDE STATE OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Feb. 15.—A bill pending in the Minnesota house today would divide Minnesota into two states—the upper tier of 47 counties to be the state of Lincoln.

## SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Johnson of West Main street, Friday evening, when a number of their neighbors came in unexpectedly, bringing ice cream, cake and valentines, reminding them they had lived in Xenia one year.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Beyk and daughters, the Misses Lena, Henrietta and Beatrice; Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie, Mr. C. R. Bales and son, Lewis and daughters, Bessie and Lenna, Mrs. Lizzie Bell, Mary and Pauline Weaver, and Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Johnson.

## PRETTY WEDDING IS SOLEMNIZED NEAR CEDARVILLE

In the presence of a company of 35 guests, the marriage of Miss Edith Marie Hamman, to Wilfred Weimer took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hamman, on the Rife road, near Cedarville, Friday evening, at six-thirty o'clock.

The bride's pastor, the Rev. J. W. Patton, of the Cedarville Methodist Episcopal church, officiated at the ring service. The home was decked in green and white for the nuptials, and the service was solemnized before an altar of green plants flanked by pedestals bearing clusters of white carnations, which were arranged in the living room.

The bridal pair, unattended, descended the stairway, preceded by the officiating clergyman, while the wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss Gladys Randall of Eaton. The bride was lovely in a gown of white georgette crepe, with head trimming, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses. During the ceremony, Miss Randall continued the playing of the bridal music very softly.

A four course supper was served after the service, and the colors for the bride's table were green and white. A wicker basket filled with white carnations centered the table, and green ribbons reached from the centerpiece to the tiny green and white favors, which marked the places.

There were covers at the bride's table for: The bride and groom, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Patton, Harry Hamman and Miss Esther Townsley, Alfred Hutsler, Miss Flo Andrews, Wayne Weimer, Miss Garnet Daily, George Weimer, Miss Gladys Randall. After dinner, punch was served, the Misses Garnet Daily and Ruth Romberger residing at the bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. Weimer are on a short honeymoon trip, and Mrs. Weimer wore away a blue serge suit with white neck blouse and blue hot Thorndial hair will go to housekeeping on the Bowersville pike, near Jamestown.

Those from a distance who came for the wedding are: Miss Garnet Daily of Greenfield; Miss Ruth Bumgarner of Waverly; Miss Gertrude Bumgarner of Columbus; Miss Gladys Randall of Eaton, and Edgar Bumgarner of London.

## COOPER SALE PROVES A GREAT SUCCESS

One of the largest sales in the county was that conducted by Mrs. J. A. Cooper at her farm on the Dayton pike, Friday.

While it was estimated that the sale would run \$9,000, the actual figures showed that it amounted to over \$11,000.

An enormous crowd was on hand for the sale, despite the bad weather, and it is interesting to note that 149 automobiles and 58 buggies were lined up along the road during the sale.

Everything put on sale went at good prices, and this was especially so of horses and hogs.

Mrs. Cooper conducted an extensive advertising campaign in the columns of the Gazette and Republican.

## BEHOLD, AND BELIEVE EVERYTHING WAS EVER SAID ABOUT SOUTHERN BEAUTIES



Left to right: Miss Margaret Harding and Miss Marguerite Simonds.

The annual southern relief ball held in Washington recently might be called one of the most "beautiful" affairs of the season. It is customary to pick the three most beautiful women who attend. This year Miss Margaret Harding, daughter of W. P. G. Harding, member of the federal reserve board, was one of the three chosen by C. W. deLyon Nichols of New York. The second of the "three most beautiful" was Miss Marguerite Simonds, daughter of Mrs. C. C. Calhoun. Mr. Nichols described Miss Simonds as "a typical Charleston beauty, with patrician features and exquisite blond coloring."



## LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Harriet McCarty will sing tomorrow morning at the First Reformed church. Rev. Beck will preach Sunday morning on Phil. 2:12-13.

Douglas Custis protects "LIFE."

Mrs. Davis, of the Meredith Apartments, who has been ill of typhoid fever for several weeks, is convalescing.

Good music, Moose hall, Sat. night. 14

Alleging gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty, Rebecca Frank has sued for divorce from Albert Frank to whom she was married May 1, 1915. She avers that February 4, 1919, he struck and beat her, and that such acts have been of "common occurrence during their married life."

Plenty of clean, old newspapers, 3 lbs. for 5c., at this office. adv-1

Two fine turkeys which were roosting in a tree on the farm of Frank Routsong, were stolen Friday night. Mr. Routsong reported to Sheriff Funderburg. There is no clue to the thieves.

### WEATHER REPORT

Snow and colder tonight; Sunday fair, except snow flurries near Lake Erie.

Miss Stella Bishop, of North King street, is suffering severely from neuritis, which followed the influenza. The ailment affects every part of her body.

A Farmer's Favorite Drill with Power Lift is on exhibition at C. L. Babb's Implement Exhibit this week.

The Mt. Zion Park Cemetery Association will hold its annual election Wednesday, Feb. 26th, at 9 a. m.

The Thos. Teach grocery on South Detroit street will be closed Monday morning on account of the funeral of Mrs. Peterson.

GET IT AT DONGES. adv

Alva Link, of Cedarville, was taken to the Espey Hospital Saturday morning and almost immediately operated on for appendicitis. Mr. Link rallied and was getting along very well Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. O. E. Bales is leaving for Martinsville, Ind., to take treatment for sciatica from which she has been suffering as a result of a fall she received 15 weeks ago. The sciatic nerve was injured by the fall, and owing to the pain, Mrs. Bales has never been able to lie down since the accident and has taken all her rest while seated in a chair.

Storage rooms, Gazette Bldg. 2-15

The new furnace at Trinity church has been completed and services will be conducted in the auditorium.

Mrs. William Reynolds of Dayton, was the guest yesterday of her mother, Mrs. Anna M. Haverstick of West Market street, coming over to attend the funeral of Clement Reutinger.

See the Massey Harris Binder at C. L. Babb's Implement Exhibit this week. adv 2-13-14

Miss Zita Criste of Cincinnati, came to attend the funeral of her aunt, Miss Mary Higgins of Sugateek township, which was held at Holy Angels church, Dayton, Friday.

Dance—Moose Hall, tonight—Dance. 2-15

Captain Littell Snively, who has been visiting A. D. Snively of Goes, left Saturday morning for Guanajuato, Mexico, where he is to be mining engineer for one of the companies operating there.

Dance tonight, Moose Hall. Good music. 2-15

Marriage License—Paul F. Beam, 34, Spring Valley, and Ethel Edith Watkins, daughter of James Watkins, Xenia. Rev. Wright.

Wall paper sale—Fred Graham. 2-21

Watch for the provision sale at Anderson's flower store, next Saturday, conducted by Ladies' Aid of Friends' church. 2-15

The Springfield City Hospital wishes to announce that they have increased their educational program and the housing facilities for the students in the new school for nursing. In view of the new addition that is to be constructed, plans have been laid to enter an extra class April first. The requirements for entrance are (1) High School and (2) that the applicant be between nineteen and thirty-five years of age. Any one desiring to make inquiry may communicate with the superintendent. adv-2-15

Lieut. Robert Grant, who has been stationed at Camp Traven, Texas, received his discharge from Camp Sherman, Friday, and is spending a few days in Xenia with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yeaklev, before returning to his home in Washington, D. C.

C. F. Logan, of East Second street has gone to Cincinnati, to spend a week visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wharton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tindall of Springfield, are spending the week end in Xenia, with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Willett of East Market street.

DO NOT SPOIL YOUR CLOTHES. Use Red Cross Baby Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers.

The soldier boys are returning and many have already had some fine pictures made at Dowling's Studio. If photos are good, they are a lasting pleasure. Be wise, and get the best. 2-15

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Allamon are the proud parents of an eight-pound boy.

Mrs. H. M. Buckles and Mrs. Roy Buckles entertained about forty guests Friday evening in honor of Mrs. A. O. Frye and children, of Kennewick, Wash., who have been visiting relatives and friends in Greene county and Dayton, for about two months, and are leaving for their western home Sunday morning. The evening was spent in games and dancing and writing letters to Mrs. Frye, to be read on the trip back. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith, of Detroit, were also out of town guests.

## THEATERS

### BIJOU.

Bryant Washburn will probably be better remembered through his interpretation of the leading role in "The Skinner" series than any other way. He makes his first appearance here since that famous series at the Bijou Monday in "The Gypsy Trail," his latest Arcturion production.

Washburn is rated as one of the best comedians on the screen and his work in the new picture is said to be unusually good. He is supported by Wanda Hawley, Casson Ferguson, C. H. Geldart and others, in one of the cleverest stories pictured for some time.

### ORPHUM.

Fannie Ward's popular success in "Innocent," and "The Yellow Ticket," she is certain will be far surpassed by "A Japanese Nightingale," the first of the P. H. Extra-Selected Photo-Plays, which will be shown at the Orphum theater, Monday.

The story has unusual record in that it was first "best seller," then one of Broadway's big dramatic successes and now finally is shaped into a pictorial masterpiece, with a potent star; a picked company, the majority of whom are skilled Japanese players; and the artistic and sympathetic direction of the master-craftsman, George Fitzmaurice. It is so lyrical in its feeling, so rich in color and emotion, that Alden Sedgwick, author and actor has called it a "singing picture."

## NOTICES

Copy for notices to appear in this column must be furnished before 10 a. m. of day of publication.

Regular meeting of Shawnee Encampment No. 20, I. O. O. F., Monday evening, Feb. 17. D. E. Crow, C. P.

Regular meeting of the R. N. of A., Monday, Feb. 17th, at 7:30. All members requested to be present. The new recorder will receive your February dues. Recorder.

The members of Mrs. J. L. McGervey's Bible class will meet Monday evening at Trinity church, in the primary room. Let every member be present. Sec.

### Maintains Equal Humidity.

The air in all parts of a cigar case, vault or other place where moisture is needed is kept equally humid by a new device in which an electric fan drives its breezes through a box filled with absorbent material soaked in water.

## WAS CONSTIPATED AND A NERVOUS WRECK

Bed-fast four months. Now up and gaining in flesh.

"Four months ago I was bed-fast. I was badly constipated, suffered continually from chills and fever, and was always taking cold, until my nervous system was completely wrecked. I suffered with neuralgia, pains around my head, soreness all through my chest and pains under my shoulder blades. It is all gone now. I am on my feet and doing my own cooking, and gaining in flesh right along. Milks Emulsion has certainly worked wonders for me."—Mrs. Frank Rhoderick, R. R. 26, Decker, Ind.

Constipation is the mother of a large family of diseases. The whole system is clogged and weakened. Salts and physics give only temporary relief and usually aggravate the trouble.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down nervous people and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—naturally in one day. It works like magic on coughs and colds.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children. No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by Sayre & Hemphill.

Each Cap. contains 42 grains of Santal Midy.

CATARRH BLADDER 24 HOURS SANTAL MIDY

## STOLEN

If the party that took the War Savings Stamps, Liberty Bonds and Building Loan book from my home on 21 Orange street, will return them by mail, no questions will be asked and the case will be dropped. Otherwise the government authorities will be on the grounds to punish the guilty one. J. R. Stephens, 21 Orange St. adv

## EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Mary Estridge of East Church street, received word that her son, Set. Chas. Estridge has arrived in New York, and is stationed at Camp Upton awaiting his discharge. The Home Department Sunday School will meet at the home of Brother Tibbs, East Main street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to be present. Lesson, Exodus, 32, chapter 1-34 verse. Sister Sarah Jamison, teacher. President, Jessie Roark; vice president, Sister Julia Harris; secretary, Fannie Corbett.

Hear the Dayton Glee club, Christian church, February 18th. 2-15

## WE LOAN

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4. Our appraisements are made promptly and loans closed quickly.
5. We now desire good loans.
6. The Buckeye State Building and Loan Company, Rankin Building, 22 West Gay street, Columbus, O.

Relieved of Catarrh Due to La Grippe, Thanks to

## PERUNA

Mrs. Laura Berberick, 69 years old, of 1205 Willow Ave., Hoboken, N. J., writes:

"Four years ago I had a severe attack of La Grippe. After my sickness I was troubled with hoarseness and slime in the head and throat, and was told I had Catarrh. I took some medicine but without much benefit. Every winter for four years, I have had La Grippe (last winter three times). The Catarrh grew worse. I could not lie down or sleep at night. Was always troubled with slime, pain in my back and a terrible headache every morning, when I woke up, and had no blood. I got a Peruna calendar in Danish, my native language, and I read it through, every testimony, and then I bought a bottle of Peruna. To-day I can truthfully testify that Peruna has been a great benefit to me. It has given me blood and strength. I can lie down and sleep without being troubled. I have no pain, headache, or noise in my head. I have gained in weight three pounds, which I think is good for my age. I will be sixty-nine years old next summer. I have used and happy, thanks to Peruna. It will always be in my home and I recommend it to those who need it."

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# Public Sale

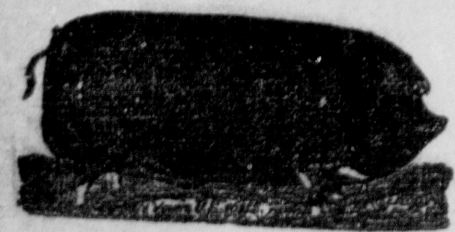
Having decided to make a change will offer for sale at Public Auction at the late Peter L. Bowersmaster farm, 2 miles west of Bowersville, 2 1-2 miles north of Port William at Gunnersville, Ohio, on

Thursday, Feb. 20, 1919

Commencing at 10 O'clock A. M., the Following Property:

## 3-Mules and Horses-3

One span of bay mules, good workers, wt. 2000. Iron gray mare, 3 years old, wt. 1200.



## 31 HEAD of HOGS

31 head of fall shoats, wt. from 50 to 80 lbs. 16 are Chester Whites and 15 are Duroc Stock.



## FEED

200 bu. corn in crib. 275 bu. of oats. 3 tons of timothy hay in stack. 10 bu. of No. 1 seed corn. Improved Clarge. 100 shocks of fodder

## FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Weber Wagon with box bed, complete. Good Milwaukee Binder, 7 ft. cut. Cassidy gang plow, in fine shape. Oliver sulky plow, in good shape. 2 corn plows, P. and O. nearly new, and John Deere. Hoosier corn planter, with fertilizer attachments. Hay rake. Disc Harrow. Drag harrow. Mowing machine. Walking breaking plow. Flat top bed, has been remodeled. Single hay fork, with rope and blocks complete. Sled. Gravel bed. Log chains. Hog box. Hog troughs. Four horse evener, almost new.

## HARNESS

2 sides of Yankee breeching harness. 2 sides of hip strap harness. 4 full leather collars. 2 canvas collars. Bridles and halters, and other articles, too numerous to mention.

TERMS WILL BE MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

David L. Gerard, Clerk. Frank Morrow, Auct.

## LAFE CARAWAY

Lunch Served by the Gunnersville Ladies' Aid

# PUBLIC SALE!

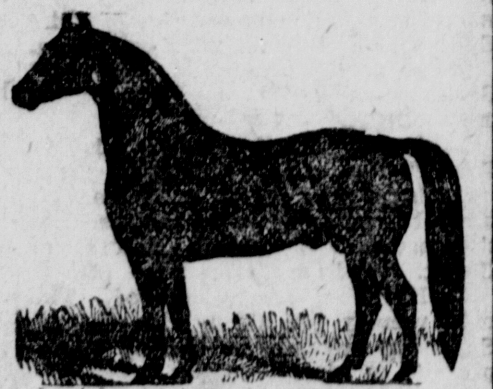
I will sell at public auction at my residence on the late Clayton Huff farm, 4 miles southwest of Xenia and 2 miles north of Spring Valley on Cincinnati pike

Tuesday, February 18, 1919

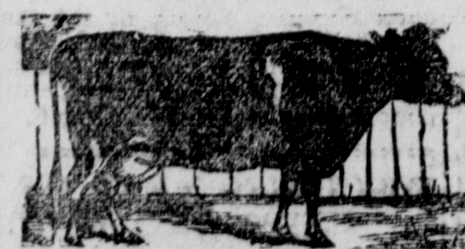
Commencing at 10:30 a. m.

## 8 Head of Horses 8

Gray mare, coming 8 years old, weight 1150. One team of bay horses, 7 and 8 years old, weight 1100 each. One bay mare, 13 years old, weight 1100. One two year old filly. One one-year old gelding. Full brother and sister. One well matched bay team, 7 and 8 years old, weight 3050. Good workers in any harness.



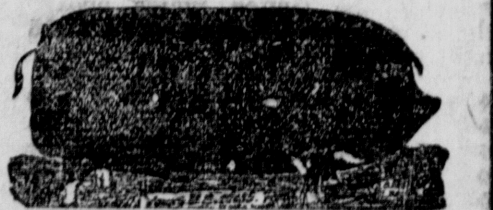
## 14--HEAD OF CATTLE--14



One Jersey cow, with calf by her side. 2 Shorthorn cows, giving good flow of milk. Due to freshen next fall. 1 Jersey cow, fresh in 6 weeks. 1 Jersey and Holstein cow, due to freshen February 26. 1 black Polled Jersey cow, due to freshen March 1st. 1 Guernsey cow, due to freshen May 5. 1 Jersey and Holstein cow, due to freshen July 31. 6 Shorthorn yearlings. 4 steers. 2 heifers.

## 22-Head of Hogs-22

5 Poland China brood sows. Due to farrow March 16 head of shoats, weighing from 50 to 85 pounds.



## FARMING IMPLEMENTS

One Massa hay loader. One Thomas wheat drill. One Johnson disc harrow. One Johnson 6 ft. mower and clover buncher. One manure spreader, good as new. 2 Buckeye riding cultivators. One James Oliver sulky plow. 3 walking breaking plows. One Flying Dutchman corn planter, with fertilizer attachments. One steel field roller. 2 spike harrows. One land drag. One Love corn cutter. One 7-shovel cultivator. One double shovel plow. One hay rake. One sled, with 40 bu. bed on it. One Brown wagon. One Troy wagon. One 50 bu. wagon bed. One flat bed. 2 gravel beds. One buggy. One 18 ft. ladder. One pair horse clippers, complete. One iron kettle. One 18 ft. log chain. Slop barrels and hog troughs. Chicken coops and runs. Potato boxes.

HARNESS--4 sides lead harness. Collars, bridles and lines. One set buggy harness. Single trees. Double trees. Forks, etc.

FEED--500 bu. hand husked corn--sound. 10 bu. seed corn. 75 doz. sheaf oats. 4 tons timothy hay. 10 tons clover hay. 1 dinner bell. 1 Globe steel range. 3 milk cans.

TERMS--All sums of \$10 and under, cash. All sums over \$10 a credit of 9 months with two approved securities. 4 per cent off for cash.

## C. E. BRADSTREET

Earl Koogler, Auctioneer. J. E. Sutton, Clerk.

Lunch by McClellan W. C. T. U.



**Removing Old Putty.**

A great deal of scraping can be saved, when putty is to be removed, by brushing over it some nitric or hydrochloric acid and leaving it for an hour or two. A brush that is of no further use should be employed, as the acid ruins it. The putty at the end of the time will be found softened to such an extent that little more than a wipe is needed.

**Reptiles That Shed Their Skin.**

Among the reptiles many, like the lizards and snakes, shed the whole skin at once, which they contrive to cast in a single piece, wriggling out of the old skin and leaving it behind them in the form of a hollow sheath, a mere ghost of the wearer. The frogs and toads contrive to make some profit on the transaction, since they eat their own cast-off garments.

**SELMA**

Miss Pauline Thomas entertained the following at her home Monday evening: Louise Schickedantz, Verna Pageant, Edward Batten, Ruth Levering, Miss Carrie Rife. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Light refreshments were served.

Miss Marie Shough, of Charleston, who teaches school here, received several slight injuries Tuesday morning, when her machine left the road and crashed into the fence, turning the car completely over and throwing her and Eleanor Wildman from the machine into the ditch. The little girl was unhurt but badly frightened. Miss Shough received several cuts and bruises but was not badly hurt. She states that while passing a speeding machine, which kept in the center of the road, that she was forced into the ditch to avoid colliding with it. The car was not badly damaged and it was driven back to South Charleston a few hours after the accident. The accident happened just outside of Selma on the Charleston pike.

Miss Lillie Beckman spent the week end with Mary Hawes. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hayes spent Saturday in Springfield.

Kenneth Elder gave a birthday party last Saturday. All that were present reported a splendid time. The following were present: Robert Marshall, Robert Wildman, Isaac and Woodrow Hayes, John Pageant and Carl Edmiston.

Community day at the high school building will be held on March 7. A speaker will be present both at the afternoon and night sessions. The school children are preparing a special program. Dinner will be served by the high school girls and teachers.

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**W. W. WEAVER GIVES EXPLANATION OF AIMS OF Y. M. C. A. FOR ANTIOCH**

Prof. W. W. Weaver, a member of the faculty of Antioch college, has prepared the following very interesting explanation of the aims of the Y. M. C. A. in regard to Antioch college, which will be operated under its management in the future:

Many Y. M. C. A. workers throughout the country have been planning for some years to unify, standardize and systematize the educational work done by that great organization. Many plans have been discussed without reaching anything definite. Within the past six months, as the great war organization was not needed longer on the battle front, some 40 active workers, joined by men of affairs and means, decided to organize the work through which this organization might reach every unit of work. They needed a plan for this which might produce workers for everywhere. Antioch college appealed to many and soon seemed ideal for such a center. First, on account of its non-sectarian charter; second, on account of the association of the name with the founders of the great religious world; and, third, on account of the representatives, progressive and liberal minded men who have been identified with its history.

It is the purpose to build through her trustees, her faculty, and her friends scattered all over the world, an institution which shall in the future, as it has done in the past, invite to her halls the young men and women who want to prepare for Christian callings or humanitarian duties. Antioch college will be a challenge to promising young men and women to prepare for real life by developing every faculty and will give unparalleled opportunities for leadership in those callings which make the world better.

The college will need some new buildings; the plans have already laid. She will need a larger endowment; her friends are on tip-toe to answer the demands. The trustees will be men of large means and nationwide business activity; or they will be active Y. M. C. A. workers. These will line up under a president who has proven his worth both in preparation and performance. He was born in Kentucky and there he grew to manhood. He graduated from Union College, but kept up his studies at Columbia University, at Leipzig, in the Academy of Sciences at Rome; at each of these places he spent a year. Twice he completed courses at Harvard. He is widely known as a preacher and lecturer. He is a writer for the best religious periodicals, and some years ago, when the National Temperance Committee offered prizes for the best temperance sermon preached that year, Dr. Perkins won the prize. It is little wonder that

this man should be selected to lead in this work, the first of its kind undertaken by any of the Y. M. C. A. units. The work is in good hands; it will be supported by an able board of trustees, assisted by an advisory committee to be appointed from 20 of the most active Y. M. C. A. centers, and will receive the entire support of the good people everywhere.

The present board of trustees has seen the opportunity and has freely opened the way for the new spirit to go out from this old educational center in a new way, on a larger scale, with an increased vision coming from a newer and higher life that is now developing inevitably from the experiences of the greatest upheaval the world has ever seen.

May the new workers realize their grandest and highest hopes.

W. W. WEAVER.

**SPRING VALLEY**

About 30 of the High School pupils, chaperoned by Miss Dillencourt and Miss Stewart, enjoyed an oyster supper last Friday night at the country home of Misses Ads and Eva Mills, of the Junior class. The party went to the Mills home in autos taking the oysters and other refreshments with them. One very interesting feature of the evening was an impromptu program of songs, recitations, etc., which revealed a wonderful amount of unobserved talent. A merry crowd of little girls and boys was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Folkerson, Monday evening, by their daughter, Ruth. Identified "school ma'ams" as well as the other guests thoroughly enjoyed childhood games.

Mrs. B. F. Teach severely sprained her ankle at the Xenia depot, Monday evening, when returning home with her husband, after spending the week with relatives in Oxford.

Mrs. Jennie Jones of Dayton is visiting friends in this village this week.

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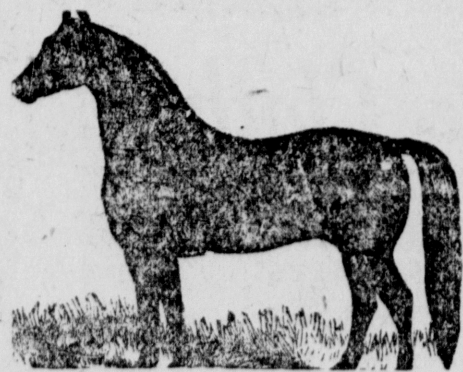
**Public Sale!**

Having rented my farm I will sell at public auction on the farm known as the Chas. Hook farm on the Hook road, 3 miles southeast of Xenia, on

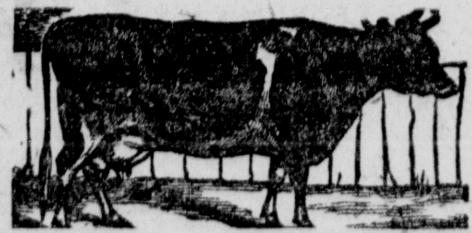
**Thursday, February 20, 1919**  
at 10:30 a. m.

**Horses**

One Sorrel mare, ten years old, wt. 1500; one Brown mare, 11 yrs. old, wt. 1350; one Brown mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1550; one Black gelding 7 yrs. old, wt. 1450; one Bay mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1350; one Driving mare, 8 yrs old; two coming yearling colts.

**CATTLE**

Four milk cows with calves by their side; four coming two year old heifers; 3 coming two year old steers; 4 coming yearling steers; one coming yearling heifer; one steer calf.

**HOGS**

5 Brood sows to farrow in March; one Poland China Boar; 42 feeding Shoats.



**SHEEP** 10 Shropshire Ewes  
1 Shropshire Ram

**FARM IMPLEMENTS**

One Milburn wagon with hog rack, new; 1 gravel bed; one hog fountain; one manure spreader, Nisco, new; one McCormick corn binder, new; one Victor corn planter and fertilizer; one McCormick mowing machine; one double disc cutter, McCormick; one Oliver riding plow, new; one Scotch Clipper breaking plow, new; one Hamilton cultivator; one Spring break Tiger Cultivator; one spring tooth harrow; one spike tooth harrow; one revolving hay rake; 2 Oliver cultivators, new; five sets work harness; one set of leather fly nets; bridles and collars; one sled; one piano box buggy; one cream separator, new.

**FEED**—Three tons of timothy hay; 400 bu. of good corn; 150 bu. of rye. Shovels and forks.

**TERMS**—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash, over ten dollars a credit of nine months with note with approved security.

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## The Xenia Daily Gazette

J. P. CHEW, EDITOR.

### NEW SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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### THE U. S. DOUBLY HONOR- ED BY PEACE CONFER- ENCE.

The selection of Robert Lansing, American Secretary of State, to head the committee of the Peace Conference charged with fixing the responsibility for the war, and the bringing of former Emperor William and all his satellites before an international tribunal of justice, was gratifying news to the American people.

This committee or commission of the great conference in Paris is regarded as being second in importance only to the committee having in hand the formation of a league of nations, headed by President Wilson himself. The United States not only has come in for a double honor in the filling of the two most important chairmanships, but the conference in choosing Mr. Lansing to head the inquiry into responsibility for the war and finding a means of bringing offending Huns to justice, has selected a man who has already given deep thought to the subject.

Mr. Lansing's expressed views on Prussianism leave no doubt as to what the findings of his commission will be. It has been known for months in Washington that Secretary Lansing believed in the personal responsibility of the one-time Kaiser, and that he felt very strongly with regard to the atrocities charged against the German army.

With Secretary Lansing directing the committee on the responsibility of the war, and the meting out of the personal punishment to persons guilty of violating the customs and laws of civilized warfare, "however highly placed," it can be safely assumed that the German military authorities will not escape a penalty for their crimes. Mr. Lansing knows well the Prussian mind, and he knows how the Prussians blinded the German peoples into following them into a war for world domination.

### SOLDIERS' LIFE INSUR- ANCE.

Conditions under which soldiers and sailors now holding government life insurance may convert their policies within five years into other forms which can be carried with the government during their lifetime were announced by Col. Henry D. Lindsley of the War Risk Insurance Bureau. Rates will be made public soon, and the new policies will not be available until then.

There will be six different kinds of insurance—ordinary life, 20-payment life, 30-payment life, 20-year endowment, 30-year endowment and endowment payable at the age of 62. All policies will contain clauses providing that in case of permanent total disability of the insured man, the government will make monthly payments to him and premium payments will cease. This amounts virtually to old age pensioning and disability insurance and insures that no man who has ever served in the army or navy need ever be destitute if he carries the government insurance.

Collections of premiums will be made through postmasters in each community. Any man now in military or naval service holding government term life insurance can obtain the new forms, but the amount will be limited to his present holdings, which in no case are more than \$10,000. The government urges all men to continue to carry their present policies, but to convert these as soon as they are financially able within the next five years.

### COURT NEWS

Mr. Heilholz of Dayton was named Friday as the guardian of the five minor children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herman Finley of this city. On February 6, a half sister, Mrs. Ethel Finley Tucker, of Columbus, was named as guardian of the children, who range in age from 4 to 17 years. Mrs. Tucker has taken the youngest child to her home in Columbus, three other children will make their home with an aunt in Dayton, and the oldest child will remain in Xenia until the end of the present school year.

If one needs some waxed paper quickly and there is none handy, melt some paraffin in a shallow pan and put strips of thin paper (tissue paper is good) through it.

## THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS.

### BLANCHE ORTON INSTILLS A DOUBT IN BARBARA'S HEART.

#### CHAPTER XII.

Once when Neil had been very free with Blanche Orton, when I had sensed something—or thought I had—about his teasing—his caressing manner with her that was especially annoying, I had said something of it to him. He laughingly told me that he treated other women the same way; so if I were going to be jealous of his manner with Blanche, I should be kept busy. I felt a little contemptuous, but I had long ago, altho only married a little over a year, realized that Neil was Neil, and that I must love him, faults and all, if I were to love him at all.

I now knew that men weren't perfect any more than were women. When I was married I had thought Neil absolutely perfect. I could see no faults, no flaws. To be truthful, I saw very few even after living with him a year. Yet I often wondered where his lack of responsibility would lead him.

Often I was worried, too, about what Neil drank. Not that I would infer that he was a drunkard; but several times after we commenced going with his old friends he had taken more than was good for him.

Neil would laugh at me, tell me I was peevish because I made me ill, and a lot of other nonsense which quieted my fears for a time, but in no wise prevented their recurrence.

I had lunched with Blanche Orton, one day, and she had grown quite confidential—without in the least meaning to, I am sure. She called my husband "Neil" in the kind of way that only a certain amount of intimacy would warrant. She talked of the good times they had before he was married, and said that had she not already had a husband, she would have taken him.

I was in no way jealous for myself. I was sure Neil loved me, and I was quite apart from the petty suspicions that are the Nemesis of so many married women. It was for Neil I was jealous. I wanted him to be so fine, so far superior to other men, that people would look up to him instead of—well—imagining him a flirt. "Neil is wonderful!" she had said, "He will be a very wealthy man some day. He knows how to take advantage of things. And he hasn't any foolish notions about its not being right to do so."

I did not quite understand her and said so. She laughed and replied: "Oh, nothing! only some men are such cranks, they never get on."

That night we talked together, Neil and I. I told him how much I loved him, that it wasn't for what he gave me, either. I recall that, among other things, I said:

"I want you to remember, Neil, that I think you the best man in the world. Nothing matters, nothing counts to me but you—and our happiness together. I am going to keep you always, against anybody or anything." Then I asked for money to buy a dinner gown.

"Why so much emphasis tonight?" he asked, as he drew me to him and kissed me, telling me to get the gown and charge it.

No special reason, only what I have said is true. I did not tell him of the sickening foreboding Blanche Orton's half confidence about his business ability, had left in my heart.

I did not realize what it meant to have Fortune bring lavish gifts in one hand, while she carried a drawn sword in the other.

Yet, for the first time, I had a suspicion that perhaps Neil, in his anxiety for money, his desire to "get on," as he called it might perhaps do things that other men men of strict integrity might frown upon. Father had always been so absolutely honest; he had had no patience with men who, for material advantage, would quibble with honesty. So I had ingrained in me a sort of horror of anything approaching laxity.

But I was young, I loved my indulgent, irresponsible husband dearly, and I soon forgot to worry about the remark Blanche Orton had made. Or if I thought of it at all, it was to shrug it away with the thought that I had attached a meaning to her words which she had not meant to convey.

Then, too, I also loved the luxury Neil's money made possible—the dainty things to wear, and the things for my home; the food and servants. All I soon learned to take as a matter of course and to care about, more and more.

#### TO BE CONTINUED.

#### Gun Barrels.

A rather interesting side light on the question of gun barrel life is a determination of the actual length of time to which a good shotgun barrel is subjected to the force and burning effect of the powder charge during its lifetime. If 100,000 shots are fired from a shotgun the inside of the barrel is actually exposed to the flame of the powder charge for about four minutes.

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## SERIES OF FARM BUREAU MEETINGS ARE ARRANGED

The county agent has arranged for a series of Farm Bureau meetings next week at the following places: Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 18th, at 2 p. m., Bellbrook; Tuesday evening, Feb. 18th, at 7:30 p. m., Beavercreek; Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 19th, at 2 p. m. New Jasper; Wednesday evening, Feb. 19th, at 7:30, Yellow Springs; Thursday afternoon, Feb. 20th, at 2 p. m., Caesar Creek High School.

Prof. John W. Wulbert of the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University, will speak at all of these meetings on some animal husbandry topic. Any one wishing their soils tested for lime requirements should bring samples to these meetings, as the county agent will come equipped to test soils for lime needs.

Everyone is invited. Don't forget these meetings.

## SECOND SEMESTER OF COLLEGE OPENS

The second semester of Cedarville College will open Monday, February 17. Classes will commence as usual at 7:30, but the formal opening will take place at 9:30, when an address will be delivered by the Rev. E. M. McKibben, pastor of the United Presbyterian church at Clifton. President W. R. McChesney extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend the opening exercises. A number of new students have registered, and a prosperous semester is looked forward to.

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It isn't age, it's careless living that puts men "down and out." Keep your internal organs in good condition and you will always be physically fit.

The kidneys are the most over-worked organs in the human body. When they break down under the strain and the deadly uric acid accumulates and crystallizes look out! These sharp crystals tear and scratch the delicate urinary channels causing excruciating pain and set up irritations which may cause premature degeneration and often do turn into deadly Bright's Disease.

One of the first warnings of sluggish kidney action is pain or stiffness in the small of the back, loss of appetite, indigestion or rheumatism.

Do not wait until the danger is upon you. At the first indication of trouble go after the cause at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules, imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They will give almost immediate relief. If for any cause they should not, your money will be refunded. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. None other is genuine. In sealed boxes, three sizes.

## A Sacred Duty

Whether they fell on foreign soil in the great world tragedy of blood and fire, or perished in the peaceful performance of their duties at home, it is at once a beautiful custom and our solemn, sacred duty to perpetuate the memory of our friends.

Be it marker, monument or other memorial, only the best can long and creditably represent your devotion and your taste.

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## MOTORAIDS

Backfire of the motor of an automobile frequently results in the destruction of more than one machine. This, however, is a cause that can hardly be avoided. Spontaneous combustion is the result of carelessness. Oily waste, if not placed in a safe receptacle, will decay of itself and smoulder, and in time burst into flames. Cans of zinc, or tins with covers are handy to put this waste in and thereby save the garage from possible destruction. Occasionally sawdust or shavings are strewn under a car to absorb the waste oil drippings. This is a foolish practice, as spontaneous combustion is apt to result in this case also. Sand is a very good substitute for sawdust and can be better renewed.

Some garages contain small openings in the floor into which workmen go to repair the under parts of machines. Such openings are called pits. Gasoline vapor is very thick in all low places and these pits are, therefore, dangerous. In one instance a man was in one of these pits repairing a machine which was partly over him. A nut became obstinate and he hit it with a wrench, causing a spark. The instant the spark was struck the vapor in the pit became ignited and flames filled the pit.

#### Daily Thought.

Calumny is only the noise of madmen.—Diogenes.

#### NEURALGIA

or Headache—  
 Rub the forehead  
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Your Bodyguard  
**VICK'S VAPORUB**  
 NEW PRICES—30c, 60c, \$1.20

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BOTH PHONES.

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## Tailor-Made Clothes!

As the Woolen market straightens out we are prepared to meet you all wool clothes at the most reasonable price. The woollens we handle are only the best the mills have made during the war. We have a line of medium weights that cannot be beat.

**KANY** The Tailor

## Wanted Horses and Mules

FEBRUARY 17th, 1919

4 years to 10 years.  
 900 lbs. to 1300 lbs.

**FRANK HUNNICUTT**

at Evans' Livery Barn

## Everyday Etiquette

"Will you please tell me what to say when I wish to ask a girl if I may escort her home from a party?" asked Billy.

"You may say: 'Miss White, may I have the pleasure of seeing you to your home?'" replied his older brother.

## THE BOCKLET-KING CO.

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## TOO TIRED TO WORK?

If you get up in the morning tired if you weary with little exertion and if you and go are lacking, depend upon it that your liver is torpid. One dose of Schenck's Mandrake Pills will "wake up" that lazy liver and make you feel like new. Schenck's Mandrake Pills are worth a trial tonight.

25c per box—uncoated or sugar coated

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Maple Syrup Cans  
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The boys are glad to get back into the old life—and new clothes.

They welcome mother's dishes and sister's duets. Father's old fashioned ideas are great—better than any new model on wheels.

The old town looks better than ever—NOW to change from Chevron to Civilian—to rub elbows with silk shirts and feel the fit of a personally selected outfit.

The boys who come from camp to the Criterion, find that everything has been arranged beforehand to give them the best of everything—including the bargain.

Nothing snappier than these (Michael Stern) Suits for our returning soldiers and sailors—unless it's these new Victory stripes that just blew whistle in our shirt dept.

SPRING SHIRTS, \$2.00 to \$10.00.

SPRING SUITS, \$30 to \$50.

Everything is Happy With Our Neckwear.

## The Criterion

"A Store for Dad and the Boys"

22 South Detroit Street,

Xenia, Ohio

## The Dollar Sale At ENGILMAN'S

Monday, February 17th

Ladies' Rain Coats, \$5.00 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 Men's Work Shirts, two for . . . . . \$1.00  
 Table Oil Cloth, 50c quality, 3 yards . . . . . \$1.00  
 2 pairs Boys' Overalls . . . . . \$1.00  
 3 Boys' Linene Waists, 60c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 3 pairs Men's Wool Socks, 50c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 2 pairs Boys' Knee Pants, 69c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 1 pair Wool or Corduroy Pants, \$1.49 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 2 Bungalow Aprons, \$1.00 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 2 Corsets, 84c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 1 pair Overalls, \$1.74, next pair . . . . . \$1.00  
 Boys' or Misses Union Suits, \$1.49 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 2 Children's Flannel Rompers, 69c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 1 lot of Coats and Suits, each . . . . . \$1.00  
 2 silk Underskirts, imperfect . . . . . \$1.00  
 7 yards Apron or Dress Gingham . . . . . \$1.00  
 7 yards Bleached Muslins . . . . . \$1.00  
 4 yards Plaid Gingham, 38c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 8 Pillow Cases, imperfect . . . . . \$1.00  
 7 yards Linen Crash Toweling, 20c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 8 pairs Ladies' Black Hose, 20c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 8 yards light Calico Print . . . . . \$1.00  
 5 pairs Ladies' fine Lisle Hose, 39c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 6 yards Scrim, 25c quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 1 Man's Fur Hat, \$2.00 quality, imperfect . . . . . \$1.00  
 5 yards 25c White Outing . . . . . \$1.00  
 3 pairs Ladies' Burson Hose, 60c quality, imperfect, \$1.00  
 \$1.00 off on Men's Suits and Overcoats.

Blue Percale Aprons, \$1.69 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 Umbrellas, men's and ladies', \$1.49 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 Men's Flannel Shirts, \$1.49 quality . . . . . \$1.00  
 Blankets, \$1.49 quality, each . . . . . \$1.00  
 \$1.45 3 pd. Cotton Batting, each . . . . . \$1.00  
 \$1.00 off on the price of Blankets from \$5.95, up.  
 7 pairs Men's Canvas Gloves, 20c quality . . . . . \$1.00

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS.



## TWENTY YEARS AGO

Dr. Reynolds, the dentist, has been on the sick list for a few days, suffering from the grippe.

Mr. Fred P. Baldner left yesterday for Peoria, Ill., where he will assist

a firm in the manufacture of horseless carriages.

Spring Valley Blade—James Hollingshead sold on Wednesday 44 head of registered hogs and pigs at public sale. The amount realized for same was about \$560.

The Epworth League of Trinity Church will give a Valentine social at

the residence of Mr. W. B. Chew this evening.

Mr. Henry Fetz is a candidate for re-election to the office of Police Commissioner of the city of Xenia.

C. S. Frazer's business card in today's paper announced that he will open the old Putnam stand with a full line of shoes on March 15.

The city council has been called in to consider the matter of granting a franchise to the Dayton and Eastern Traction Company, of which Henry B. Pruden is the promoter. The company has heretofore desired to come into the city over Calloway street to Main and to operate a line on Main street.

Mr. A. J. Chatfield, of the Xenia Steam Laundry, is somewhat bruised up and is limping about as the result of a fall when he accidentally stepped into a trap door at his place of business and fell into the cellar.

### The Right Word.

A couple of deaf mutes were married the other day. The wedding was truly described as "a quiet affair."—Boston Transcript.

## USE A CHEVROLET CAR FOR

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# "Let Her Go"

B. P. O. Elks Benefit Charity Fund

Big Chorus  
of Pretty Girls

Local Talent  
Musical Comedy

A Real Different  
Play. Full  
of Song—  
Music and  
Dance.

XENIA OPERA HOUSE

Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 24-25

Reserved Seat Plat Opens at Opera House, Friday, Feb. 21, 10:00 A. M.

## REHEARSALS FOR "LET HER GO" ARE VERY ENCOURAGING

Director Ray Lee Jackson, of the musical comedy "Let Her Go" which is to be presented here under the auspices of the Elks and for the charitable purposes of that organization, February 24 and 25, returned to Columbus Thursday evening after several very encouraging rehearsals.

Practice for the production is now going on at a lively rate and with considerable pep and interest. The leading roles are to be carried by Miss Catherine Shoup and Mr. Harold Whittington and other speaking parts in the cast are, Roy C. Hayward, Harry A. Higgins, Clarence Norris, J. Emmet Tierney, Geo. Schwartz, Mrs. William Golden, Miss Pauline Shoup, Miss Donna Fudge and Miss Elizabeth Mullen.

The chorus will consist of forty people, twenty girls and twenty men. Robert Hurley, who was successful in directing the X. H. S. minstrels, is assisting Mr. Jackson in the work, and is instructing the chorus. Manager Bocklet has already made plans for the scene settings, which will be futuristic in design, and he has designed elaborate costumes and arranged for novel lighting effects. Chaperones are at every rehearsal.

The cast will rehearse every night next week, with the chorus working in the afternoons also.

### Electricity on the Farm.

Electricity is now equal to nearly all kinds of farm work, from irrigation to churning. So far it has not attacked plowing and cultivating, but electricity is not yet through with the farm.

## USE SALT TO REMOVE SOOT FROM FLUES

Removal of soot deposits from flues and heating surfaces of house and other heating boilers as well as power plant boilers is suggested by the United States Fuel Administration. Joseph Harrington, Administrative Engineer for the Administration located in Chicago, suggests the following plan for removal of the soot:

"The fire is put into good condition with a substantial body of hot fuel. Common salt, thoroughly dried, is then thrown or sprinkled onto the incandescent fuel bed in a quantity depending entirely on the size of the furnace. In the case of a house heating furnace, one pound at a time is ample, in the case of a large power plant boiler, four or five scoops full may be required. The dampers are kept open so as to maintain the furnace temperature and the salt is allowed to remain until the fumes have entirely disappeared.

"Immediately upon charging the salt, the furnace becomes filled with dense white fumes which may require as much as half an hour to entirely disappear. If results are not secured on the first application, it should be repeated as many times as necessary.

"Once the heating surface is thoroughly cleaned a small application every few days is usually sufficient to keep it so.

"Everyone using soft coal is urged by the administration to use this remarkably simple and cheap process for getting rid of the soot, cleaning and heating surfaces of boilers, thus saving large amounts of coal, preventing fires from chimneys and generally conserving all along the line of heating and the production of power."

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### WALL PAPER

Hanna's Green Seal Paint and Floor Finishes.

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Johnson's Auto Necessities.

Chas. S. Johnson  
17 Green Street.

## STOMACH OFF—BUT GAINED TWENTY- FIVE POUNDS IN TWO MONTHS.

Mrs. G. Followell the Advice of a Friend and Took Pepsinco.

For many years Mrs. G. suffered with indigestion. She could get no help. She doctored and took almost every remedy friends would suggest, but got little relief. She lost in weight till she was apparently nothing but skin and bone. What she ate caused misery and pain. She would bloat and was seldom without headache. Nothing agreed with her. She would get up with a bad taste, coated tongue and a feeling of dizziness. The sight—the odor of savory foods nauseated her. She passed the day in misery, and went to bed tired, worn out and hungry.

A friend finally prevailed on Mrs. G. to try Pepsinco, which she did. A small package proved to her that it was what she needed. In two months time she gained her normal weight and gives credit to Pepsinco.

## FARM BUREAU OF XENIA TP. HAS A FINE MEETING

An enthusiastic meeting of Farm Bureau members of Xenia township was held Wednesday night in the Business Men's Club rooms. The following officers were elected: Morton Dallas, chairman and director of Xenia north; Herman Eavey, chairman and director of Xenia south; Jas. Hawkins, secretary-treasurer; John McClain, purchasing agent.

Arrangements were made to complete the membership campaign in Xenia township during next week and a membership committee was appointed for each school district.

The members present stated that they were going to try to get more Farm Bureau members in Xenia Twp. than in any other township in the county.

### Do Your Best.

The man who does not seek each day to do his very level best, no matter what his task, is doing himself an injury and increasing his debt to humanity. Life is a serious business.—From the New Era, Federal Penitentiary, Leavenworth, Kan.

## QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth," now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime. Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

# PUBLIC SALE!

Having sold my farm I will offer at Public Auction at my residence two miles east of Paintersville and two miles north of Port William, on road running from Hussey pike to Fawcett school on

February 20th

Commencing at 1 O'Clock P. M.

TWO WORK HORSES.

3—COWS—3

Three year old Jersey, due to freshen the last of March. Six year old Jersey due to freshen the last of April. Seven year old Jersey due to freshen in September.

### FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Double shovel plow. Avery riding cultivator. Harrow. Sled, good as new. Milwaukee binder, in good condition. 3 buggies and buggy lamp and hay in the mow.

### HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Folding bed, good as new. Bedsteads. Dining Chairs. Kitchen chairs. 2 rocking chairs. Hanging lamp. 3 carpets. Cupboard. South Bend malleable range, been in use two years good as new. Two heating stoves. Parlor stand. Oil stove. Chase Organ in good condition. Other articles not mentioned.

### AMERICAN CREAM SEPARATOR

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A FORD AUTOMOBILE. FIVE PASSENGER

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TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE.

WALTER LACY, Auctioneer.

H. A. POWERS, Clerk.

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# PUBLIC SALE!

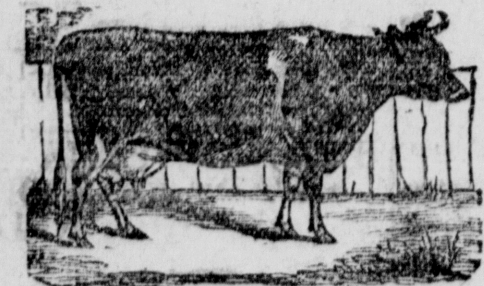
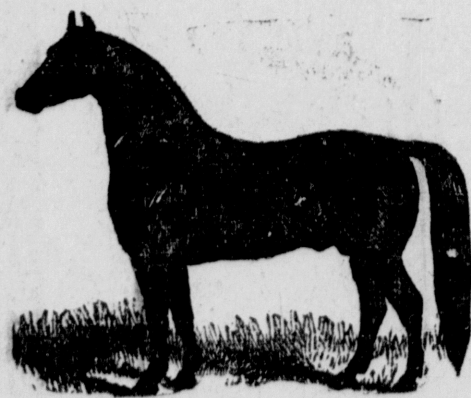
As I have sold my farm, I will offer at Public Auction, at my farm, 3 miles south of Xenia, on the Wilmington pike, known as the James Watkins place

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1919

At 10 a. m., the following property:

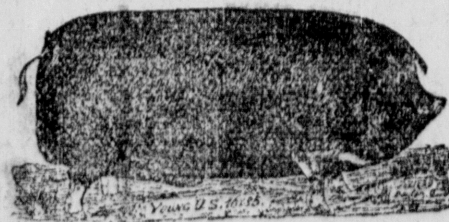
## 5 Head of Horses

Consisting of one sorrel mare, 8 years old, wt. about 1200; one bay gelding, wt. 1300, sound and a good worker; one bay mare about 1200; will foal in April; 2 weanling colts.



## 8--HEAD OF CATTLE--8

Consisting of one Holstein cow, with calf by side. 7 Jerseys will be fresh soon.



## 34--HEAD OF SHOATS

Weight 90 lbs.; immuned



60 Chickens—Plymouth Rock and Black Minorcas.

7 Turkeys—One tom and rest hens.

## U. S. CREAM SEPARATOR

One Weber road wagon with hay ladders and gravel bed; one 8 h. p. Worthing gas and coal oil engine; One grinder and crusher, Duplex; one 28-inch wood saw; one corn planter with fertilizer; one one-horse corn drill, with fertilizer; one double disc, one riding breaking plow, J. I. C.; one Milwaukee mower; one pulverizer; one 72-tooth harrow; one walking breaking plow; one double shovel plow; one single shovel plow; one 20-foot ladder; 4 log chains; 2 watering troughs; 2 iron kettles with rings; 2 barrels; 4 sets of work harness; post auger and digger; 2 fodder racks, hay rake; one buggy and harness; one spring wagon and harness; one one-horse stretchers; one two-horse stretchers and many other articles too numerous to mention. 500 bushels of corn. These articles are all almost new.

Harriett St. John

R. R. Grieve, Auctioneer.

Lunch on Ground.

T. C. Long, Clerk.

# PUBLIC SALE

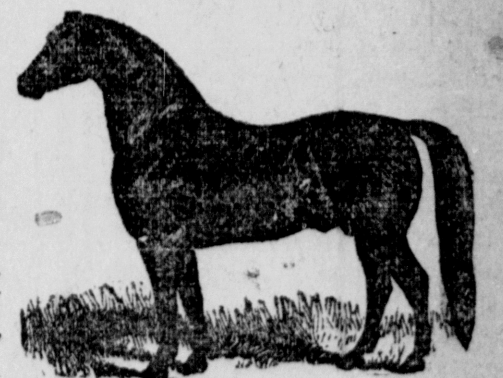
We will sell at Public Auction on the W. A. Conklin farm, 8 miles south of Xenia and 3 miles east of New Burlington, at old Engle Mill

Tuesday, February 25

At 10:30 A. M.

## 10 Head of Horses

Consisting of 1 six year old brood mare (extra good), weight 1400, one Belgian brood mare, eleven years old, weight 1500; one three year old mare, weight 1400; one three year old mare, weight 1200; one bay Gelding, 12 years old, wt. 1250, one blind gelding, 11 years old, wt. 1300, one yearling Gelding, one spring colt, one family driving mare, 11 years old, one general purpose mare, 12 years old.



## 105 HEAD OF HOGS

Consisting of 2 brood sows, 14 pigs, wt. about 60 lbs; 89 head of shoats, weighing over 100 lbs.



## SHEEP --- 10 Ewes bred to lamb in May.

## Hay and Grain

About 40 tons of hay, 30 tons of mixed hay, in bale, about ten tons of clover, 400 bushels of corn in crib.

## Farming Implements

One Johnston corn binder, in good condition, one Ohio hay loader, almost new, 4 breaking plows, 2 Bryan riding plow, one John Deere riding plow, new, one walking plow, 2 corn plows, one 8 ft. Dr. corn planter with fertilizer attachment, one double disc, one Thomas hay tedder, new, one potato planter, one one-horse drill, one single Disc, one truck wagon, one power feed grinder, one pump jack, 1 spring tooth harrow, 4 sides of harness and other articles.

Wm. Mills, Auctioneer.

T. C. Long, Clerk.

WATKINS BROS.

Terms made known on Sale Date.



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Better Furniture  
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## ZIMMERMAN

Mrs. Katherine Haverstick entertained her brother, Aaron Coy, brother-in-law, Wm. Haverstick, and family, of Dayton, her sons, Joe, and family, of Belmont, and Harry, and wife and daughter Mary, last Sunday.

Oscar Kable is convalescing from an attack of "flu."

Mr. and Mrs. Denlinger, of Trovood, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eph. Shoup Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. George Williamson spent

Thursday of last week with Mrs. Oliver Good at Ebenezer.

Mr. J. N. Carpenter, of Springfield, was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Ed Huston, Sunday, as was also his son, Loren Carpenter, of Bellbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williamson, Mr. Jacob Helmar, of Dayton, and Floyd Huffman, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Williamson, at Shoup's Station, Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Huston called on her aunt, Miss Lania Carpenter, Sunday afternoon, at the Espey Hospital in Xenia, where she is a patient.

Mrs. Wm. Myers, of Dayton, visited her mother, Mrs. Sam Moore, Thursday.

Joe Haverstick, who was engaged in government construction work at Nitro, Va., previous to the signing of the armistice, has since joined his family at Belmont, and is now erecting several houses in Dayton. He is assisted by his brother Huber.

Mrs. Mason Aylshire died Tuesday, of paralysis, at her home at Barrs Station. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at the Conservative Dunkard church in Zimmerman, of which she was a member, and burial at Mt. Zion.

The barn on the Ater farm, owned by Mr. Doggett and occupied by W. W. Williams, was burned to the ground Monday. Several vehicles, a large quantity of meat and other things were destroyed. Fire started from the stripping room in which meat was being smoked.

## Hard to Classify.

Coming Author—"Well, they are sort of betwixt and between. They are too sensible for nonsense verses and too nonsensical for sensible verses."—Boston Evening Transcript.

## CHURCH NOTICES

## NEW JASPER METHODIST

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. W. C. St. John, Supt. At 10:30 temperance program, followed by address by the pastor.

## MT. TABOR CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Riley Jones, Supt.

## WHITE CHAPEL CHURCH

Sunday School 1:30 p. m. J. D. Keiter, Supt. Preaching at 2:30 p. m.

J. V. Robinson, pastor.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

127 East Second street. Sunday services 11 a. m. Subject "Soul." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting 7:30. The reading room is open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday except legal holidays, from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. To each of these services and to the reading room the public is cordially invited.

## CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL

The Rev. J. D. Herron, D.D., rector. Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Corporate communion of the Girls' Friendly Society, Litany and sermon at 10:30. Subject "The Vineyard, the Statesman and the Politician." Sunday School at 9:15. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

## FIRST REFORMED CHURCH

Melvin E. Beck, pastor. 9:15 a. m. Bible School, Walter Watkins, Supt. A growing school for the study of the Word. 10:30 a. m. morning worship. Sermon theme, "The Child of God in the Far Country." 4:00 p. m. Vesper service. Gospel sermon. Sermon music by men's quartette. A welcome to all. Come and bring your friends.

## FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Asa James Kestle, pastor. 9:15 Sabbath School. F. M. Reynolds, Supt. If you haven't a Sunday School, make this one yours. Be on hand with your friends or children, rain or shine. 10:30 morning worship with sermon by the pastor. Special music, 7:00 evening worship. The pastor will preach. Singing will be led by a chorus choir of High School age under the direction of Robert Hurley of the High School. Alexander song books will be used. This will be a great day and you can't afford to miss it. Wednesday evening at 7:30 mid-week service. Program is varied. Special music. The inclement weather this week hindered only a few. A good throng was present. Plan for next week now.

## FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

D. D. Dodds, pastor. Sabbath School 9:30. Mr. Herman Eavey is the superintendent and will welcome you to our school. At 10:30 the Sacrament of Baptism and The Lord's Supper will be administered. Also new members will be received at this service. Y. P. C. U. 6 o'clock. Evening worship at 7 o'clock when the pastor will preach on the theme "The Passing of Religious Opportunities." The attendance and spirit of the services during the past week has been excellent. Let us make the Sabbath a great day in the way of honoring our Master.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Market and King streets. J. C. C. WEST END CHURCH

Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Young People's meeting at 3:30 p. m.

## TELLS HOW TO GET BACK OLD TIME AMBITION

Discoverer instructs druggists everywhere not to take a cent of anyone's money unless Bio-feren doubles energy, vigor and nerve force in two weeks.

## 7 A DAY FOR 7 DAYS

Any man or woman who finds that they are going backward, are not as strong as they used to be, have lost confidence in their ability to accomplish things, are nervous and run down should take two Bio-feren tablets after each meal and one at bedtime.

Seven a day for seven days.

Then take one after each meal until the supply is exhausted.

Then if your nervousness is not gone, if you do not feel twice as strong and energetic as before, if your sluggish disposition has not been changed to a vigorous active one, take back the empty package to Sayre & Hemphill and your money will be returned.

No matter what excesses, worry, overwork, too much tobacco or alcohol have weakened your body and wrecked your nerves, any druggist anywhere is authorized to refund your money on request if Bio-feren, the mighty builder of blood, muscle and brain does not do just what is claimed for it.

Note to Physicians: There is no secret about the formula of Bio-feren. It is printed on every package. Here it is: Lecithin, Calcium Glycero-phosphate, Iron Peptonate, Manganese Peptonate, Ext. Nux Vomica, Powder, Gentian, Phenolphthalein, Oleoresin Capsicum; Kola.

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Preaching at 7 p. m. by Mr. Balg White, of the seminary. The West End church went over its highest records in all departments last week. It was its greatest week since organization. Come and join in the wonderful work and blessings.

McCracken, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. "A Vital Factor in Christian Service." Evening subject "A Necessary Margin." Sabbath School at 9:15. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Mid-week service on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Minister, Rev. Albert Read. Bible School 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:30 a. m. "A Community Revival." Young People's Meeting 6 p. m. Leader, Mrs. Emma Simon. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## FRIENDS CHURCH

Bible School at 9:30, Herbert Davis, Supt. Morning service for worship at 10:40. Christian Endeavor at 6. Gospel service at 7. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Women's prayer meeting on Friday morning at the home of Mrs. John Mobley, on Lynn street.

## TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Hibbard J. Jewett, Pastor.—Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Mr. G. W. Morrison, Supt. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. on the subject: "The Fellowship of Intercession" and in the evening at 7:00 on the subject: "Satan at the Threshold of the Home." Epworth League at 6:00 p. m. Miss Doris Meahl leader. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Good music, good fellowship and the gospel message at Trinity. Let every one come who will.

## MAPLE CORNER REFORMED

A. R. Lynn, Pastor. Bible School 9:30. E. D. Stroup, Supt. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon, "The Key to the Better Living." Our evangelistic services are over, as far as the outward part is concerned. The members and friends have been faithful, and we feel we have received a great blessing. Let us hope and pray that this is but the beginning of bigger and better things at Maple Corner for this kingdom. Come with us this Sunday morning. Everybody is welcome.

## HAWKER'S REFORMED

A. R. Lynn, Pastor.—Bible School 9:30. S. A. Randal, Supt. No morning worship. 7:30 p. m. we will begin our two weeks of evangelistic services. Topic for Sunday evening, "Sin-Self Retribution." By Rev. R. E. Shultz. Monday, topic, "Getting What You Ask." Remember, service every night for the next two weeks with the exception of Sunday nights. Good gospel singing, and special music every night. Come and enjoy these services with us and receive His blessing. Friends and strangers welcome. Come.

## FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Septuagesima Sunday. Rev. Jacob H. Culler, acting pastor. Sunday School 9:15. J. L. Reed, Supt. Morning service 10:30. Subject, "Many called, but few chosen." Luther League 6:00. Topic, "His orical Philip Melancthon." Leader Dr. Culler. Evening service 7:30. Subject, "The Christian Stadium." To all services of worship at this church strangers and friends are cordially invited. At the close of the morning service a congregational meeting will be held, and every member of the church is expected to be present, and participate in calling a pastor.

## SECOND U. P. CHURCH

The pastor, Rev. Charles P. Proudfoot, will preach at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning topic "I believe in the Forgiveness of Sins." Evening "The Resurrection of the Body and the Life Everlasting. Amen." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at morning service. Bible School follows morning sermon. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.

## WEST END CHURCH

Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting at 3:30 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. by Mr. Dale White of the Seminary. The West End Church went over its highest records in all departments last week. It was its greatest week since organization. Come and join in its wonderful work and blessings.

Good time to economize—Mrs. Austin's delicious Pancake Flour. Three pounds—twenty-five cents.

## HE'D HAVE BEEN OUT OF JOB SOON ANYHOW, NELLIE



Nellie McFarland.

The murder trial of "Silent" Nellie Burke, Chicago girl whose real name is Nellie McFarland, was over before it started. She was charged with shooting Theodore Skinner, a bartender. According to Nellie's attorneys, Skinner called on Nellie one evening intoxicated and decided to shoot her. When she saw he was in earnest she shot first—six times—and each one hit. State's attorneys asked that the case be nolleed when it came up.

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## PUBLIC SALE

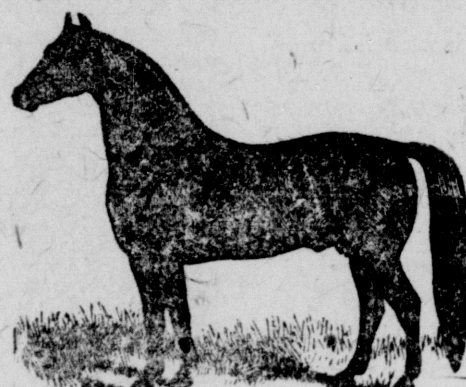
As I have sold my farm, and will discontinue farming, I will sell at Public Sale, on what is known as the Seth Smith farm, located 2 miles north of Selma, on the Springfield and Selma pike, on

Wednesday, February 19th, 1919

At 9:00 O'Clock A. M., Sharp.

## 21—HEAD OF HORSES—21

Percheron stallion, 8 years old, well broken, single or double, quiet worker and a good breeder; team of dappled grays, mare and gelding, 9 and 10 years old, weight 3200 pounds; team of bay mares, 7 years old, weight 3400 pounds; team of black geldings, 5 and 6 years old, weight 3400 pounds; team of dark grays, mare and gelding, 4 and 5 years old, weight 3000 pounds; team of dark grays, mare and gelding, coming four years old; gray-roan gelding, coming 5 years old; roan mare, 3 years old; light roan gelding, 3 years old; bay gelding, 3 years old; dark bay gelding, 2 years old; strawberry-roan filly, 2 years old; 2 weanling colts.



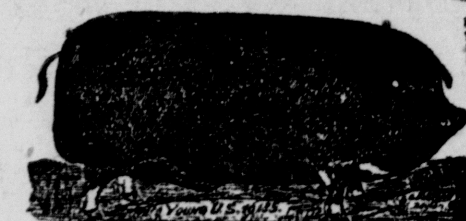
## 121—HEAD OF CATTLE—121

Jersey cow, fresh before day of sale; Jersey cow, giving a good flow of milk; red polled cow, fresh in April; Jersey heifer; 60 head of fattening cattle, weight about 1600 pounds each; 57 head of white-faced feeders, weight 800 pounds each.



## 76—HEAD OF HOGS—76

Twelve pure-bred Hampshire brood sows; 6 pure-bred Duroc and 5 grade sows, bred to farrow last of March and in April; Duroc boar. 40 head of cattle hogs, 12 shoats.



## HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.

Upright piano, "Valley Gem;" "Direct Action" gas range, gas heater, hot plate, coal heater, 12 ft. extension table, drop-leaf extension table, marble-topped parlor table, Morris chair, large plush chair, 5 rockers, a lot of dining and bedroom chairs, 2 high chairs, 2 3-piece walnut bedroom suites, child's walnut bed, white iron bed with springs and mattress, 2 sets of bed springs, combination folding bed and secretary, box couch, folding lounge, large walnut bookcase, ANTIQUE FURNITURE, including maple four-poster, quaint hand made cord bed, cradle, mirror, desk, andirons, and numerous other articles. 60 yards of Moquette carpet, 69 yards of Brussels carpet, 20 yards of new rag carpet, large drugget, coal grate, wall pictures, fruit cupboards, cream cans, No. 3 Sharples' separator, "1900" gravity washer, wash bench and tubs, bent wood churn, "Eagle" acetylene plant, lawn swing, beehives, large table, tin safe, stone jars, crocks, lamps, dishes, etc.

## FEED, ETC.

1000 BUSHELS OF CORN; 25 bushels of choice picked seed corn from home-grown seed; 25 tons of mixed hay; 25 tons of baled straw; 150 bushels of oats; 2 bushels of Alsike clover seed; 60 TONS OF ENSILAGE.

## FARMING IMPLEMENTS, Etc.

M McCormick binder, 8 ft. cut; Superior drill, 3 horse; all overhauled; McCormick corn binder, Excelsior clover drill, Johnson combination side delivery hay rake and tedder, Keystone hay loader, hay rake, McCormick mower, roller, Moline 2 row corn cultivator for Moline tractor; 6 riding cultivators, 4 John Deere, 1 Ohio and 1 Buckeye; Sattley corn planter with soy bean plates, John Deere planter, 1 planter for use in new ground, double disc harrow, John Deere "Stag" sulky plow, 2 breaking plows, double shovel, single shovel, harrow, potato plow, garden cultivator, corn sheller, feed grinder, wheeled scraper drag scraper, 2 John Deere low down manure spreaders, 2 low down feed wagons with racks, 2 wagons with beds, extra wagon bed, 2 gravel beds, sled, 10 complete sides of work harness, extra collars, bridles, halters, etc.; single and double forms for cement posts, fence stretchers, 2 tank heaters with burners for gas, ensilage boxes, fodder racks, hog coops and houses, some lumber, 17 rods of 5 inch tile, some 3 inch tile, hay ropes, forks, pulleys, hay slings; 3 ladders, 1 extension; step ladder, butchering tools, steel oil drum, double-acting brass force pump, steelyards, Peerless lifter, wheelbarrow, log chains, hanging silo ladder, 2 grass seeders, buggy poles, sleigh bells, grain sacks, ice saw and hooks, meat barrels, hand sprayer, horse clippers, hydrant, dog house, scythes, hand tools of all kinds, several gallons of hog dip, 50 gallon gas tank, 2 barrels of vinegar, large bell, 50 rods of No. 9 fencing, lot of hog wire, two 80 rod rolls of barbed wire, etc.

2 bushels of choice "Early Six-Weeks" Seed Potatoes.



36 Pure White Wyandotte Pullets

Lewis H. Smith

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

Col. Mead, Col. Titus, Auctioneers.

Robert Elder, Fred Stewart, Clerks.

Lunch Served by Missionary and Ladies' Aid Societies of Selma.







